Hi all,

On behalf of the JPSS STAR Program Manager, Lihang Zhou, you are cordially invited to the the STAR JPSS Enterprise Algorithms Workshop, at the NCWCP Conference Center in College Park, MD, on March 30-31, 2016. The workshop will focus on NDE Implementation of JPSS-1 Products. Dial-in and other logistic information will be provided closer to the date.

Given the space limitations in the venue and the maturity of these discussions, attendance will be by invitation only. That said, we are still building the invite list to ensure all stakeholders are present, so please send any requested additions to Valerie Mikles or Lihang Zhou. A report will be available summarizing our discussions, and a brief on what we learned prepared for the Annual Meeting in August.

Response requested: Please let me know if you intend to attend in person, so that I can assure adequate meeting space. You will have opportunity to pre-order lunch from Kloud café.

Presentation templates have been distributed to science leads, and are available on Google Drive: https://drive.google.com/a/noaa.gov/folderview?id=0B-kRoSoyMpuANjBIMF9SYjd2cEk&usp=sharing

If you do not have access to this template or have questions, please contact Valerie.Mikles@noaa.gov. I will be in contact with invited speakers to confirm. The final agenda is still fluid, but we are trying to assure ample discussion time and attention to products with greatest interdependency and impact to downstream products.

Conference Topics:

- * Overview of STAR Enterprise Algorithm Development
- * Overview of JPSS products operating in NDE
- Clouds, Aerosols, Cryosphere, Polar Winds, SST, Ocean Color, OMPS V8, MIRS, NUCAPS,

Vegetation Health, Vegetation Fraction, Active Fire

- * Algorithm Design of Land Products yet to be transitioned
- Surface Reflectance, Surface Type, Land Surface Temperature, Vegetation Indices, Land Albedo
- * Plans for global, gridded products
- * Software Implementation
- * IDPS Fly-out Plan
- * Path Forward

I look forward to seeing and hearing from you all.

Cheers, Valerie Mikles